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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: P. COOPER

Serial No.: 10/020,870

Filed: December 19, 2001

For: DIGITAL CAMERA

Attention: Box Missing Parts

**DECLARATION OF PROOF**

I, Dr. Saiful Khan hereby declare that:

(1) Peter Cooper, having a last known address of 12 Budyan Road, Grays Point NSW 2232, Australia is the sole inventor of the invention set forth and claimed in application No. 10/020,870, filed December 19, 2001 and at the time the invention was made Peter Cooper was an employee of Nokia Corporation of Espoo, Finland, the entity now seeking to become the Applicant of the application under 37 CFR §1.47(b).

(2) The inventor Peter Cooper cannot be reached after diligent effort and/or refuses to sign the Declaration as evidenced by the attached copies of various documents a listing of which is as follows:

(a) a series of letters and email messages including:

(i) February 19, 2002 letter to the inventor Peter Cooper requesting that he execute the Assignment and

Declaration.

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(ii) April 11, 2002 letter to the inventor Peter Cooper requesting that he sign the documents and return them via registered mail.

(iii) May 21, 2002 email from Peter Cooper informing Pat Tye of his new address.

(iv) May 21, 2002 email to inventor Peter Cooper from Pat Tye forwarding a letter from Dr. Saiful Khan.

(v) May 22, 2002 letter to the inventor Peter Cooper from Dr. Saiful Khan answering inventor Peter Cooper's inquiry with regard to the application.

(vi) May 23, 2002 email from inventor Peter Cooper explaining his situation and reluctance to sign the Declaration and Assignment documents.

(vii) May 28, 2002 email from Dr. Saiful Khan to inventor Peter Cooper responding to inventor Peter Cooper's May 23, 2002 email letter.

(viii) July 11, 2002 email from Dr. Saiful Khan to inventor Peter Cooper requesting return of the signed Declaration and Assignment documents.

(ix) July 17, 2002, email response from Peter Cooper to Dr. Saiful Khan informing him that he is travelling. No specific date provided for when Peter Cooper intends to


complete and return the Declaration and Assignment documents.

(x) July 22, 2002 email from Dr. Saiful Khan requesting Peter Cooper to provide specific details of when the signed Declaration and Assignment documents might be expected.

(3) None of the above-described attempts to reach the inventor Peter Cooper's resulted in obtaining a signature from the inventor on either the Declaration or the Assignment for application Serial No. 10/020,870.

(4) Applicant under 37 CFR §1.47(b) Nokia Corporation has a proprietary interest in the invention as set forth and claimed in application Serial No. 10/020,870 being that the inventor Peter Cooper as part of his employment agreement was under an obligation to assign all inventions invented by him to Nokia Corporation.

(5) The filing of application Serial No. 10/020,870 is necessary so as to preserve the rights of Applicant under Nokia Corporation in the invention as set forth and claimed therein and to prevent irreparable damage to Applicant Nokia Corporation resulting from abandonment or the like.

  
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Dr Saiful Khan  
IPR Counsel  
NOKIA CORPORATION

22 / JULY / 02  
Date

Attorney's Docket No.: 1076.41017X00**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: my residence, post office address and country of citizenship are as stated below, next to my name; I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled DIGITAL CAMERA.

the specification of which

is attached hereto.

X was filed on December 19, 2001 as  
 United States Application Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 or PCT International Application Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claim(s), as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits, under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b), of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

**Prior Foreign Application(s)****Priority  
Claimed?**

(Number)	(Country)	(Foreign Filing Date)	Yes	No
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
(Number)	(Country)	(Foreign Filing Date)	Yes	No

I hereby claim the benefit, under 35 U.S.C. 119(e), of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

(Application Number)	Filing Date
_____	_____
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I hereby claim the benefit, under 35 U.S.C. 120, of any United States application(s) listed below:

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Full Name of Sole/First Inventor Peter COOPER

Inventor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

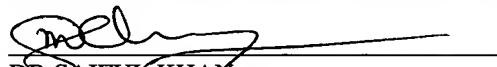
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